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# The Humble ADDRESS

Of the Right Honourable the

Lords Spiritual and Temporal

In Parliament Assembled,

PRESENTED TO

HIS MAJESTY,

On Monday the Twentieth Day of February, 1715.

WITH

His Majesties

MOST GRACIOUS

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In Parliament Assembled  
Die Martis 21 Februarii, 1715.

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**O**rdered by the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament Assembled, That the Address of this House presented to His Majesty Yesterday, and His Majesties most Gracious Answer thereunto, be forthwith Printed and Published.

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William Cowper,  
Cler' Parliamentor'

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**ADDRESS**  
 Of the Right Honourable the  
 Lords Spiritual and Temporal  
 In PARLIAMENT Assembled.

Die Veneris 17 Februarii, 1715.

To Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE Your Majesties most Dutiful  
 and Loyal Subjects, the Lords  
 Spiritual and Temporal in Par-  
 liament Assembled, beg Leave  
 to Return Your Majesty the  
 Thanks of this House for Your  
 most Gracious Speech from the  
 Throne, and to Congratulate

Your Majesty upon the Success Your Forces have  
 had in obliging the Pretender to Fly out of Scot-  
 land; And as we do not doubt but Your Majesty  
 will use the most effectual Means towards Pre-  
 venting the said Pretender's finding Refuge or  
 Protection in any Country in Amity with Your  
 Majesty, so we do Assure Your Majesty of our  
 utmost Support and Assistance in shewing Your  
 just Resentment against any Prince or State that  
 shall give him Protection; And we take this Op-

portunity to Express the true Sense this House has of Your Majesties great Wisdom and Care of Your People, in having Resolved not only to put a Speedy but an Effectual End to this Rebellion, without having hearken'd to any Fallacious Proposals of the Rebels, which could only have tended to leave the Seeds of future Rebellions and Distractions in this Kingdom. And we do further humbly Thank Your Majesty for Your Gracious Intention to Ease Your People of any Burthen, as far as is Consistent with the Publick Safety, not doubting but, if Your Majesty judges it Necessary, You will make use of the Power already granted You; And we do humbly Assure Your Majesty, That nothing shall be wanting on our part towards Securing, upon the most Solid and Lasting Foundations, Your Majesties Government, upon which the future Happiness and Tranquillity of these Kingdoms do's entirely Depend.

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### His MAJESTIES most Gracious Answer.

My LORDS,

I Thank you heartily for this Dutiful and Loyal Address: I will immediately Order the most Pressing Instances to be made to all Princes and States in Amity with Me, in relation to the Pretender; And I shall in every thing always Consult the Security and Happiness of My People.

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